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WEATHER FORECAST

THE INDICATIONS ARE THAT THE
WEATHER WILL BE FAIR TO-
NIGHT AND TUESDAY.

AMERICANS ARE TO BE MASSACRED

Mormon From Dublin Brings Distressing News of
the Rebel Resolve to Slaughter All Non-
Combatants in Northern Mexico.

MEXICANS COURT INTERVENTION

Gen. Salazar, Now Virtually in Supreme Command,
Authorizes a Bloody Campaign Against the
Mormons and Others From United States

El Paso, Texas, July 29.—Louis Lach, a Mormon from Dublin, who arrived here with his family last night, said today:

"General Salazar told us at Casas Grandes that, if intervention did not come from the Americans within the next few days, that rebels will begin to kill every American they find and keep up the massacre until America is forced to cross the border. Salazar stated it was the direct order of Orozco."

The correspondent of the El Paso Herald wired a statement here today declaring that General Salazar, second in command of the Mexican rebel army, had made several addresses Sunday in which he asserted that all Americans in the rebel zone were to be disarmed and all protection guaranteed for American citizens withdrawn.

Salazar said that inasmuch as the American government had treated the rebels as bandits, they may as well act such parts.

Salazar declared that "Americans have no business in Mexico, and the sooner they get out the better. I don't care whether American intervention comes or not. If our seizure of Americans' arms and ammunition leads to American intervention, then I will welcome it. I am going to seize the arms and ammunition of Americans the same as those of Mexicans."

"Look, Mexicans, at the hovel you live in," he said, pointing to the mud huts in the Mexican part of Pearson, where he was making the speech; "then look how your American bosses live in affluence. The president of the United States bows obediently to the wishes of the weak Madero in all matters to suppress the Mexican people."

"If the Americans have made a failure of their own government at home, as they have, it is better that we should not have them here with us. They get good wages and the Mexicans get nothing. The Americans come here to exploit Mexico and the sooner this over exploitation stops the better."

Salazar has been considered second in command of the rebel army. He is now considered the real head of the army, since Orozco remains in Juarez.

Chihuahua, resume operations in Sonora, and gradually move toward the western coast of Mexico. To offset this plan, it is said, the Mexican federalists have begun the fortification of strategic points on Lower California.

No effort to restrain the activities of the rebels here by an appeal to the United States authorities has been made as yet, but it is said Mexican government agents are closely watching the work of the body.

Among matters under consideration by rebels here is a plan, it is said, to establish a tri-weekly newspaper for circulation through Mexican states.

BOYS' JOKE KILLS MAN

Poured Gasoline on Park
Sleeper and Applied
A Match

Memphis, Tenn., July 29.—Michael Cabanilles, 18, and Clarence F. Shaw, 19, will be presented in court today to be charged with murder, to which they smilingly confessed when arrested yesterday. They explained that they had thought to give Robert M. Ellis only a scare and occasion for a quick plunge into the pool in Forest Park, when they poured a mixture of whiskey and gasoline over his clothing while he slept on a park bench Friday night and then applied a match. The mixture flamed all right, but instead of seeing Ellis run for the life, they saw policemen make frantic efforts to tear Ellis' flaming clothing from him. He was dead, however, before the blaze went out. The boys eluded the police until today.

R-CAPTURE MAN FOR THIRD TIME

Beatrice, Neb., July 29.—Norman Bonner, who escaped from state prison at Madison, Iowa, and after being rearrested escaped twice from officers at Joplin, Mo., when taken there to see his dying mother, again has been captured.

With his brother, Merle Bonner, he was arrested by police here. The two are said to have been implicated in a robbery at Falls City, Neb. Norman is to be returned to Iowa to complete his sentence at Fort Madison.

TO CALM THE AIR WITH ELECTRICITY

Mineola, N. Y., July 29.—A series of experiments is to be undertaken on the aviation field here this week which may mark a notable advance in the conquest of the air. Noted officers from the signal corps of the army will try out a new device for calming the air waves in the immediate vicinity of a flying airplane by means of wireless transmission of electricity. The theory is that the wireless will control the air currents in much the same way as oil poured on a storm-tossed sea stills the troubled waters.

SOLDIERS MADE ATTACK ON BLACKS

Little Rock, Ark., June 29.—Governor Donaghy left for Fordice today to investigate trouble between members of the Arkansas state guard and Fordice citizens, which followed an alleged attack by the soldiers on the town's negro district Saturday night. Citizens of Fordice condemn the guardsmen and the entire battalion is being held at Fordice pending the result of the investigation.

The first telegraph message was sent from Washington to Baltimore, May 27, 1844.



DAY BY DAY IN THE CAMPAIGN

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FIND BODY OF WOMAN

Believe Mystery of Miss
Snodgrass Disappearance
to Be Solved

Catskill, N. Y., July 29.—The body of a woman found in the mud of Catskill creek may prove to be that of Miss Dorcas Snodgrass, the missing Mount Vernon nurse. The woman was dressed in a linen crash suit and wore a diamond ring and a Christian Endeavor pin.

Although the coroner does not believe that the body had been in the creek for more than three or four days, it was badly decomposed.

Mount Vernon, N. Y., July 29.—Relatives of Miss Dorcas Snodgrass do not believe that the body found at Catskill, N. Y., is hers. The belief is growing here that Miss Snodgrass is aboard the steamship Minnehaha, which sailed Saturday for Southampton. Following the receipt of a wireless telegram from a Mrs. Cecilia Rosenbaum, aboard the Minnehaha, stating that Miss Snodgrass was aboard, relatives here sent a message to the captain of the liner asking for definite information.

Although Mrs. Rosenbaum is not known here, it is supposed that Miss Snodgrass may have sailed with her as a trained nurse.

Brother to View Body.

New York, July 29.—William Snodgrass of Meyersdale, Pa., went to Catskill, N. Y., today to view the body of a young woman found in the Catskill river, on the possibility that it may be the body of his sister, Miss Dorcas Snodgrass, a nurse, who disappeared from sister's home at Mount Vernon, N. Y., on July 17.

It has been reported that Miss Snodgrass is aboard the steamship Minnehaha, now on her way to Southampton, but until this is proved or disproved relatives are following every clue. The body at Catskill tallies in many respects with the description of the missing nurse.

ITALIANS DESTROY UNMANNED FORT

Massawa, July 29.—The squadron of Italian warships, consisting for the most part of cruisers and destroyers, which has been patrolling the Red sea since the beginning of operations against Turkey, today bombarded and destroyed the north fort of Hodeida, one of the principal seaports of Arabia on the Red sea.

ORDERED TO QUELL RIOT

More Soldiers Sent to
Strike Scene of West
Virginia.

Charleston, W. Va., July 29.—A second call has been sent to Mount Gretna, where the guardsmen have been attending a summer school of instruction. By this evening 165 soldiers will be scattered throughout the mining district in an effort to put a stop to the rioting and bloodshed of the last few weeks.

James Roberts, a bookkeeper at one of the Lewis mines at Chelyan, was shot in the hip yesterday as he walked toward a train. At the time many miners were congregated about the railroad station. Warrants for the arrest of some of the miners were issued last night and an attempt is being made to serve them today. A preliminary hearing has been set for this afternoon and a company of militia has been sent to Chalyan.

The situation at Mucklow and Tombsburg, scenes of violence last week, is reported as quiet, although further outbreaks are feared momentarily. Governor Glasscock did not issue a proclamation today declaring martial law. Such action had been rumored. It is said the executive and his advisers believe there should be a greater force of militia present before taking this step.

The miners at many points held meetings today. The principal speakers were Socialists.

Leave for Strike Scene.

Mount Gretna, Pa., July 29.—Two more companies of West Virginia infantry, ordered to the strike region in their home state, left the United States instruction camp today.

The West Virginia troops still here are ready to respond instantly to their home state if called by Governor Glasscock.

MEN TO CONTINUE BIG DOCK STRIKE

London, July 23.—Although the strike committee has declared the strike of Dock Workers at an end and has ordered the men to return to work at once, it is by no means certain that an agreement has been reached. Thirty thousand dock workers held a mass meeting in Southwark Park today and unanimously rejected the manifesto respecting the resumption of work.

Protesting that their leaders had betrayed them into unconditional surrender, the men adopted a resolution not to return to work until their leaders had consulted their unions.

Even perfectly cold cash will burn a hole in the pocket of a spendthrift.

TOOK MONEY FROM BANK

Cashier of Helper Bank
Admits the Theft
of \$12,000

Helper, Utah, July 29.—That Clyde Jackson, cashier of the Helper State bank, has admitted the embezzlement of more than \$12,000 from the bank, is the statement made by Wesley King, manager of a bonding company, who saw Jackson last night. Jackson surrendered himself to the sheriff when an investigation of his accounts was begun. It is thought that the payment of \$10,000 indemnity for which the surety company is liable will enable the bank to keep open.

WILL FIGHT TO FINISH

President Taft Gives
Views on Kansas
Electoral Cases.

Washington, July 29.—President Taft told callers today that the first information he had of the plan to have the Kansas electoral cases heard by the supreme court, came from Chairman Hilges of the Republican national committee. The move to carry the cases to the supreme court, the president said, originated in Kansas and the White House had nothing to do with it.

Representative Marlin Olmstead of Pennsylvania, who will have charge of the cases for the Taft forces, called at the White House and consulted with the president. Chairman Hilges, Mr. Olmstead and Republican leaders in Kansas, the president was told, had proceeded so far as to make preparations for an appeal to Justice Pitney, who is in New Jersey, or Justice Vanderventer, who is spending the summer in New York.

Mr. Olmstead is understood to have told the president that he had asked Justice Pitney for a hearing and the Roosevelt faction. The president will not interfere. He told friends all along that he does not intend to make his campaign personal, but will rely on his lawyers.

The president told visitors that he believed the Kansas case was worth fighting to a finish.

TO DISCUSS FREE PRESS

Newspaper Men Meet In
Wisconsin—Question
Writers' Freedom

Madison, Wis., July 29.—Various phases of the question, "Are newspaper and magazine writers free to tell the truth; if not, why not, and what can be done about it?" will be discussed by representative newspaper and magazine men from various parts of the country at the first national newspaper conference which opens here tonight and is scheduled to close Thursday evening with a banquet.

President George E. Vincent of the University of Minnesota is expected to deliver the principal address of the opening session of the conference, taking as his topic "The Press and the People."

"Is the newspaper reading public getting all the truth it is entitled to?" is the first section of the question to be taken up tomorrow morning when the views of Adolph Ochs of New York are scheduled to be presented.

Will Irwin of New York and Livy S. Richards of Boston are expected to follow.

Melville E. Stone of New York, C. D. Lee and Samuel R. Simons are scheduled to speak on "Can the impartiality of the news gathering and news supplying agencies be fairly challenged?"

Other phases of the main question will be presented by Samuel T. Hughes, Don Selig, George French, H. Tamm, Charles H. Grasty, William Holt and Genroe H. Dunlop and others.

VARIED WEATHER IN WEEKLY REPORT

Washington, July 29.—Pressure distributed over the northern hemisphere indicates that the coming week will not be one of decided temperature changes over the United States.

"Warm weather," says the weekly bulletin from the weather bureau, will continue in the south and the southwest and a moderate fall in temperature Monday over the upper lake region, the upper Mississippi and the Missouri valley will be followed by another rise Tuesday and Wednesday and by little change thereafter. It will be warmer Monday over the northeastern districts, but no unusually warm weather is expected.

In the northwest, showers are probable toward the end of the week. In the south generally fair weather during the first half of the week will be followed by local showers during the second half.

Probably more men would kiss their wives if it was forbidden.

MIKADO IS DEAD

Ten Thousand Devoted
Subjects at the
Palace Gates

Tokio, July 30.—Mitsuhito, emperor of Japan, died today at 12:43 a. m. Acute nephritis was given as the cause of death.

The imperial princes, who have been near the emperor's palace since the beginning of the serious period of his illness on July 19, were summoned to the sick chamber last evening and remained there until late today.

They were present at the noon examination by the court physicians, who found that his majesty's pulse was very feeble. The beats have increased to 146. The imperial patient's fingers and toes have turned to a purple hue. His respiration and temperature were unchanged.

A further examination showed his majesty unchanged.

At 10 o'clock last night the physicians' bulletin said the emperor's temperature had increased and that his condition had become more serious.

Prince Sadanaru Fushimi, the emperor's cousin, and three of the other princes left the palace for a short rest at 6 o'clock last evening, but the crown prince and most of the cabinet ministers remained in a room adjoining the sick chamber.

The crowds outside the palace continued to increase and numbered at least 10,000 persons at 10 o'clock last night.

The emperor has been unconscious since dawn Monday. From that hour his respiration had become more feeble and he passed away in the presence of the members of the imperial family and the ministers of state.

The great crowds which had been gathered for days outside the palace surrounding the palace remained till the end in hushed silence and even when his majesty's death was announced in the vicinity, seemingly hopelessly depressed.

The sad event was overcome by the fact that the emperor's death was announced in connection with the ministers of state, arranging for the imperial funeral and for the conduct of state affairs.

The proclamation announcing Yo Shihito's succession to the throne will be published as soon as arrangements have been made.

SAYS WIFE FIRED SHOT

Wounded Husband Will
Testify That Woman
Aimed at Murder

Atlanta, Ga., July 29.—Accused of having tried to kill her husband, Dalise Ulrich Opie Grace, formerly of Philadelphia, is scheduled to be placed on trial here today.

From a cot in the court room, the husband, Eugene Grace, is expected to face his wife and aid in the direction of the prosecution. Grace was to reach here this morning from Newman, Ga., where he has been since last March.

Mrs. Grace, who has been at liberty under bond for several months, was expected to direct her own defense. She has steadfastly denied having had any part in the shooting which took place in the Grace home in a fashionable residence district of Atlanta. Various rumors were in circulation as to the defense which would be made by counsel for Mrs. Grace, but no statement in this connection could be obtained.

Before leaving Newman, Ga., Grace reiterated his accusation of his wife with the declaration "that woman shot me, so help me God."

TODAY IN CONGRESS

Washington, July 29.—Senate:

Met at noon.

Sitting as a court of impeachment, took up the Archbold case.

House:

Met at noon.

Took up unanimous consent calendar.

Ways and means committee decided to reintroduce the cotton bill vetoed by President Taft.

The department of agriculture was made an executive one in 1888.

DYNAMITE EXPLOSION

Three Men Killed in
Aqueduct Shaft 200
Feet Deep.

New York, July 29.—Three men were killed and five probably fatally injured this morning by the explosion of a dynamite charge 200 feet below the surface in an aqueduct shaft in Central park. The victims were drillers and assistants.

The accident occurred when a drill point struck an unexploded charge.

REBELS IN CALIFORNIA

Mexican Insurgents
Open Headquarters
In Los Angeles

Los Angeles, Cal., July 29.—Agents of the Mexican government have learned that Mexican rebels have opened headquarters here and are working energetically to reorganize the scattered forces of the insurgents. It is said that the men gathered here compose the official cabinet of General Pascual Orozco, the rebel commander, and that the establishment of headquarters at this place indicates the intention of Orozco to abandon